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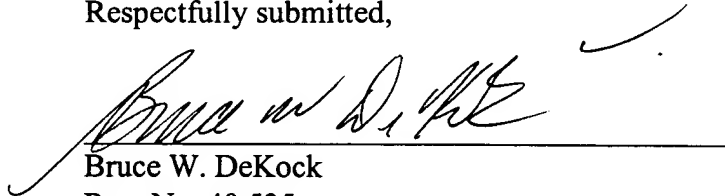
Applicant also elects the species at FIGS. 18-22.

The Examiner requested that applicant list the claims which read on the elected species.

Claims 1-2, 4-13 and 15-18 read on the elected species of FIGS. 18-22.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Account No. 03-1550. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

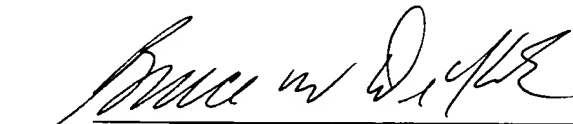


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